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Title : An Arrangement for Producing a Spun Thread from a
Staple Fiber Strand

REPLY

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2007.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. *Additional claims fees are submitted herewith.*

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include replacement sheets.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.